

Michigan Commission On Spanish-Speaking Affairs

Statewide Calendar of Events



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Saludos!

The Michigan Commission on Spanish Speaking Affairs extends a warm invitation to the people of the state of Michigan to celebrate and participate in the 2008 Hispanic Heritage Month activities. Enclosed is the Statewide Schedule of Events in celebration of Hispanic Heritage Month, September 15 - October 15.

Hispanics have played an important role in the development of our state's rich cultural heritage. Therefore, the Commission on Spanish Speaking Affairs continues to ensure that the contributions of Hispanics are recognized. We encourage Michigan's Hispanic community to take pride in their cultural heritage and to share their culture with the people of Michigan.

Cities throughout the state have planned events to commemorate Hispanic Heritage Month. We are confident that all those who participate will find a great wealth of accomplishments, dreams, skills, diversity and friendship at these events.

Have a great Hispanic Heritage Month!

Sinceramente,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "José Reyna".

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What Can I Do to Commemorate The Contributions of U.S. Hispanics?

In addition to participating in the planned statewide and local activities, what you do to commemorate the contributions of U.S. Hispanics depends on who you are and what you enjoy most. Following are suggestions from **A-Z** for individuals and groups.

Attend a lecture, workshop, luncheon, or brown bag discussion about Hispanic Heritage.

Books - Read a book by or about a Hispanic. Organize a Hispanic Reading Day. Donate a book to your local library. Invite a Hispanic author to a book signing.

Contact the Michigan Educational Association and ask for a copy of their Annual Hispanic Heritage Month publication.

Database - Create and maintain a database of contributions of U.S. Hispanics, and a database of Hispanics in your community.

Earn a badge of honor relating to Hispanic Heritage. Or design one for youth to earn.

Flag raising or parade of flags - Attend one or organize one with your group.

Groups -If you are a Hispanic group, invite a non-Hispanic group to a meeting. If you are a non-Hispanic group, invite a Hispanic group to a meeting. (For example: business groups, senior citizens groups, youth groups.)

Highlight Hispanics and their contributions on a calendar for September to October. Distribute at group meetings.

Internships and scholarships - Establish and offer them to local Hispanics.

Jog around the neighborhood and see if any of the historical landmarks commemorate contributions of Hispanics.

Knead some tortillas or a masa for pasteles. If you do not know what they are, do some research and find out.

Look up local Hispanic artists, musicians, dancers. Hire them to entertain the public at your establishment.

Magazines - Subscribe to a Hispanic magazine such as *Latina Style* (800) 651-8083 or *Hispanic Link* (202-234-0280).

Newspapers - Write or publish newspaper articles highlighting past and current Hispanics. Offer a writing contest on "What does it mean to be a leader?" or

"Hispanic Contributions in the United States." Sponsor newspapers for a classroom to read about Hispanic countries.

Organize a talent show, a fashion show, or a bilingual poetry reading.

Potluck with Hispanic food. Design menus to commemorate Hispanic Heritage Month at your school or organization.

Quiz competition - Be an organizer or be a participant.

Re-enactment or play - Write, direct, act in, sponsor or attend.

Spanish - Learn to sing a song in Spanish. Learn one new Spanish word each day of Hispanic Heritage Month.

Table decorations - Design, make, or donate placemats, informative table tents, or little table decorations to schools, hospitals or nursing homes.

Universities - Host a Hispanic College Fair. Organize a Hispanic student and alumni reception. Create a library display with photographs, names, and a selective bibliography of Hispanic faculty.

Video - Rent and watch one by or about Hispanics.

Word matches or crossword puzzles - create with Spanish words useful to your organization or with English words to quiz others on contributions of Hispanics in the U.S.

X, Y, Z - Be creative and make up your own ways to commemorate. Share your ideas.



2008 Hispanic Heritage Month *Statewide Schedule of Events*



Date	City	Location	Event	Time	Sponsor/Contact
September 5-26 (on Fridays)	Kent City	Tyrone Township Branch of Kent District Library, 43 S. Main Street	Bilingual Spanish/English Storytime Families with children of all ages are invited to share stories, songs, crafts and tons of fun in both Spanish and English. Storytimes will be lead by our Storytime Ambassador, bilingual community members who are generously volunteering their time to share stories with you. This project is funded by "The American Dream Starts at your Library" grant from the Dollar General Literacy Foundation.	1:30pm	Kent District Library Contact: Denise Robinson (616) 784-2016 x2221
September 9-30 (on Tuesdays)	Grand Rapids	Gaines Township Branch of Kent District Library, 421 68 th Street, SE	Bilingual Spanish/English Storytime Families with children of all ages are invited to share stories, songs, crafts and tons of fun in both Spanish and English. Storytimes will be lead by our Storytime Ambassador, bilingual community members who are generously volunteering their time to share stories with you. This project is funded by "The American Dream Starts at your Library" grant from the Dollar General Literacy Foundation.	6:30pm	Kent District Library Contact: Denise Robinson (616) 784-2016 x2221
September 10-October 8 (on Wednesdays)	Grandville	Grandville Branch of Kent District Library	Bilingual Spanish/English Storytime Families with children of all ages are invited to share stories, songs, crafts and tons of fun in both Spanish and English. Storytimes will be lead by our Storytime Ambassador, bilingual community members who are generously volunteering their time to share stories with you. This project is funded by "The American Dream Starts at your Library" grant from the Dollar General Literacy Foundation.	6:30pm	Kent District Library Contact: Denise Robinson (616) 784-2016 x2221
September 10-October 1 (on Wednesdays)	Kentwood	Kentwood Branch of Kent District Library	Bilingual Spanish/English Storytime Families with children of all ages are invited to share stories, songs, crafts and tons of fun in both Spanish and English. Storytimes will be lead by our Storytime Ambassador, bilingual community members who are generously volunteering their	10:00am	Kent District Library Contact: Denise Robinson (616) 784-2016 x2221

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September 10-October 1 (on Wednesdays)	Wyoming	Wyoming Branch of Kent District Library	La hora de los cuentos – Spanish Storytime Join us for songs, rhymes, stories and ton of fun in Spanish! For families of all ages.	6:30pm	Kent District Library Contact: Denise Robinson (616) 784-2016 x2221
September 12	Williamston	Brookshire Inn & Golf Course, 205 West Church	3rd Annual Charity Golf Outing Proceeds to benefit Cristo Rey Health Clinic	9:00am	Cristo Rey Community Center Contact: John Roy Castillo (517) 372-4700
September 12-14	Holland	Centennial Park	8th Annual Tulipanes Art & Film Festival The films will cover the gamut of the national and international Chicano/Latino experience.	Call for times	Contact: (616) 394-0000
September 13	Detroit	Holy Redeemer Church, 1721 Junction Street	Independencia de Mexico Official ceremony with Honorable Consul Vicente Sanchez Ventura. Baile Folklorico	11:00am-1:00pm	Consulate of Mexico Contact: Jorge Sanchez-Cantano (313) 965-5046
September 13	Riga	Riga Fire Hall	Honketown Reunion Dinner, music and dance	Dinner: 5:00pm Music/Dance: 7:00-11:00pm	Contact: Maya Mireles at (517) 260-2071 or (517) 759-1199
September 13	South Haven	Lake Michigan College, 125 Veterans Drive	Southwest Michigan Hispanic Celebration Activities include Mexican Folk Dances, children activities, business expo, DJ music, food, low rider car show, and door prizes.	12:00pm-4:00pm	Contact: (616) 886-9609
September 13	Farmington Hills	Farmington Hills Manor, 23666 Orchard Lake Road	Noche Mexicana Dinner & Dance Mexican dinner and appetizers. Official ceremony with Honorable Consul Vicente Sanchez Ventura. Entertainment by Mariachi Band & DJ for dancing.	6:30pm-12:30am	Consulate of Mexico Contact: Jorge Sanchez-Cantano (313) 965-5046
September 14	Detroit	Clark Park – Vernor & Clark Streets	Unity Art Jam A one day event featuring music, dance, art and a poignant tribute to southwest Detroit cultural heroes.	12:00pm-6:00pm	CLAVE Contact: Lolita Hernandez (313) 407-0522
September 14	Detroit	Holy Redeemer Church, 1721 Junction Street	Hispano/Latino Prevencion del Cancer Information on health and cancer	1:00-3:00pm	Consulate of Mexico Contact: Jaqueline Moran (313) 962-1553 x22

September 15	Mt. Pleasant	Central Michigan University, Bovee UC front lawn	Hispanic Heritage Month Kick Off Get involved through our families, our community and our nation. Come kickoff Hispanic Heritage Month 2008 with Minority Student Services, Sigma Lambda Gamma and Sigma Lambda Beta as we inform you of the wonderful events and activities planned this year through freebies, fun and fellowship.	11:00am	Central MI University, Multicultural Office Contact: (989) 774-3945
September 15	Adrian	LISD TECH Center, 1372 N. Main Street	Hispanic Heritage Month Kick-Off Luncheon Keynote Speaker: Paul Zavala, Hispanic National Bar Foundation – Board Member Victor Torres, Williams Acosta-Partner	11:30am-1:30pm	Contact: Emily Martinez at (517) 265-1618 or Lisa Potts (517) 265-1741
September 15	East Lansing	Michigan State University Museum	Family Fiesta Day Music and dance with the Bandits de Michigan, games, children activities, artist demonstrations, food by Maria's Tacos. FREE	1:00pm-5:00pm	Contact: (517) 432-1317 or (517) 355-2370
September 15-October 10	Mt. Pleasant	Central Michigan University, Multicultural Center	Art Exhibit "Women of Hope: Latinas Abriendo Camino" Developed by the Bread and Roses Cultural Project, "Women of Hope: Latinas Abriendo Camino," highlights 12 women, including two writers, Julia Alvarez and Sandra Cisneros; as well as the co-founder of the United Farm Workers Union, Dolores Huerta. Bilingual information on the 12 Latina leaders will be available. Free and open to the public.	Call for times	Central MI University, Multicultural Office Contact: (989) 774-3945
September 16	Adrian	Adrian City Hall	Flag Raising Ceremony Presentation by Michael Perez – Proclamation by Mayor Gary McDowell. Student Presentations; Michael Perez and Jonathan Tobar – Adrian Public School	10:00-11:00am	Contact: Rafael Gonzales Sr. at (517) 423-4597
September 16	East Lansing	Michigan State University Museum, West Circle Drive	Our Journeys/Our Stories of Latino Achievement Our Journeys/Our Stories: Portraits of Latino Achievement, from the Smithsonian Traveling Exhibition Service (SITES), is an exhibit with educational and online resources that explores the diversity of the Latino experience in the United	5:00pm-7:30pm	Michigan State University, Ford Motor Company & The Smithsonian Institute Contact: (517) 355-2370

			States. This exhibit will open at Michigan State University Museum on September 16th, 2008 and be available for teachers, students, and families through January 4, 2009.		
September 17	University Center	Delta College Commons Room	Latina Singer Megan Leyva	12:00pm-1:00pm	Delta College Contact: Sylvia George at slgeorge@delta.edu
September 17	Mt. Pleasant	Central Michigan University, Plachta Auditorium	"headRush" Hip Hop, Comedy, Spoken Word Performance "headRush" is hip hop, Chicano theatre, political, satirical, spoken word comedy. Dedicated to education and empowerment, "headRush" makes complex issues relevant and accessible to diverse audiences by playfully engaging their subjects onstage while promoting collaboration and dialogue with individuals and organizations offstage.	7:00pm	Central MI University Minority Student Services, Program Board, Sigma Lambda Beta Fraternity Contact: (989) 774-3945
September 18	Adrian	Adrian College	Tertulia En Espanol Free admission	Call for time	Contact: Idali Feliciano (517) 264-3278
September 18	Kalamazoo	Western Michigan University, Bernhard Center Stage	Hispanic Heritage Month Kick-Off "Orquesta Senscional" FREE	7:30pm	Western Michigan University, Multicultural Affairs & Sigma Lambda Gamma Society Contact: (269) 387-3317
September 19	Saginaw	Horizon's Conference Center, 6200 State Street	Fiesta Folklorica Mexicana Tickets are \$60 in advance - available by calling Manuel Lopez at (989) 777-7898. Dress is semi-formal. Dinner: Spectacular Buffet and dancing. Music entertainment: Estilo and El Trio Ensunio	6:00pm- 1:00am	Contact: Manuel Lopez (989) 777-7898
September 19	Saginaw	Horizons Conference Center, State Street	12th Annual Fiesta Folklorica Dinner and entertainment \$60 per person	6:00pm-1:00am	Contact Manuel Lopez at (989) 777-7898
September 20	Blissfield	St. Peter's Parish Hall	Migrant Farewell/El Adios Migrant Queen selection from surrounding migrant communities at 8:00pm. Dance.	7:30pm-12:00am	Contact: Emily Martinez at (517) 265-1618

September 21	Comstock Park	Alpine Township Branch of Kent District Library	Fiesta de la Cosecha Celebrate the harvest with games, stories, music, crafts, and more at an afternoon of fun for the whole family.	1:00pm-5:00pm	Kent District Library Contact: Denise Robinson (616) 784-2016 x2221
September 22	Adrian	National Guard Armory, 230 W. Maumee	Hispanic Business Workshop How to start your own business, education and financing information. Free	9:00am-12:00pm	Commission on Spanish Speaking Affairs & OLA Contact: (517) 373-8339
September 24	Alma	Alma College, Hogan Center, Cappaert Gymnasium	Vicente Fox Vicente Fox, president of Mexico from 2000 through 2006, will be the keynote speaker for the 2008 Robert D. Swanson Responsible Leadership Speaker Series at Alma College. Joining him will be his wife, Marta Sahagun de Fox, president of Vamos Mexico Foundation, who will speak with Alma College students about her leadership experiences. Free and open to public	7:30pm	Alma College Contact: 1-800-321-ALMA
September 24	East Lansing	Michigan State University Museum Main Gallery	Settling Out, Settling Down, and Settling in: Contributions of Latinos to the State of Michigan "The Settling Out Process - From Migrant Lifestyle to Resident Lifestyle," Rubén Martinez, Director, MSU Julian Samora Research Institute; ""Settling Out in Isabella County," Rachael Moreno, Migrant Education Program, Michigan Department of Education	4:00pm-6:00pm	Contact: (517) 432-1317 or (517) 355-2370
September 25	Grand Rapids	Cascade Township Branch of Kent District Library, 2870 Jacksmith Ave, SE	La hora de los cuentos – Spanish Storytime Join us for songs, rhymes, stories and ton of fun in Spanish! For families of all ages.	5:00pm	Kent District Library Contact: Denise Robinson (616) 784-2016 x2221
September 27	Kalamazoo	Kalamazoo County Fairgrounds	Kalamazoo Hispanic Heritage Festival Come and celebrate our rich and unique culture. Music, folkloric dance, child activities, Prizes, food, and family entertainment. No Admission fee	11:00am-9:00pm	Contact: (269) 385-6279 or (269) 387-3329

September 29	Mt. Pleasant	Central MI University, UC Rotunda and Terrance Room	A Taste of Latin Cuisine, Flavor and Salsa! Delicioso! Dulce! Bueno! Caliente! Whatever your choice of word...it all says delicious. Join us for a Taste of Latin Culture, Flavor and Salsa. Lessons by Lizandro Tremolada. \$3 students, \$5 all other guests	5:00pm	Central MI University Minority Student Services, Program Board Contact: (989) 774-3945
September 30	Lansing	State Capitol grounds & Lansing Community College	MI Hispanic Caucus Celebration – Student Summit 10:00am- Hispanic Student Summit at Lansing Community College, Dart Auditorium. 11:30am- Presentation on the State Capitol steps. 11:45-1:00pm-Student Lunch on the State Capitol lawn.	9:00am – 8:00pm	Michigan Hispanic Caucus, Lansing Community College Contact: Senator Garcia's Office 517-373-2421
October 2	East Lansing	Michigan State Main Library North Conference Room, 4th floor, West Wing,	MSU Libraries Film Series RED SUNRISE (ROJO AMANECER) (1989) Speaker: Dylan Miner, Residential College in the Arts and Humanities	7:00pm	Contact: (517) 432-1317 or (517) 355-2370
October 2	East Lansing	Michigan State University Museum	Café Con Leche Come explore, discover, experience, connect	9:00pm-11:00pm	Contact: (517) 432-1317 or (517) 355-2370
October 4	Detroit	El Comal Restaurant	1st Annual Hispanic Marriage Day Dinner A buffet style dinner with vow renewal, a keynote speaker who will discuss the special role model married couples can be in their community, Latin singers and Spanish-speaking volunteers to assist. Tickets are limited – no sales at the door. \$45 per couple or \$25 single ticket.	5:30pm-9:00pm	Marriage Resource Center Contact: Steven Hernandez (313) 278-4400
October 5	East Lansing	Michigan State University Museum	First Sunday Gallery Walk MSU Museum joins with museums and galleries in Greater Lansing, where culture and creativity come together	1:00-5:00pm	Contact: (517) 432-1317 or (517) 355-2370
October 5-15	Pontiac, Detroit and Flint	Various locations	Semana Binacional de Salud Health promotions, free screenings and health information	Varies	Consulate of Mexico Contact: Jaqueline Moran (313) 962-1553 x22

October 6	Mt. Pleasant	Central MI University, Multicultural Education Center	Sigma Lambda International Fraternity, Inc. Week Join the men of Sigma Lambda Beta International Fraternity as they celebrate "Beta Week." For more information about individual activities and events, see any member of the organization.		Central Michigan University, Sigma Lambda Fraternity Contact: (989) 774-3945
October 6-7	Mt. Pleasant	Central MI University, Multicultural Education Center	"Stand and Deliver" Movie and Discussion Jaime Escalante is a mathematics teacher in a school in a Hispanic neighborhood. Convinced that his students have potential, he adopts unconventional teaching methods to try and turn gang members and no-hopers into some of the country's top algebra and calculus students.	1:00pm & 5:00 viewings	Central Michigan University, Minority Student Services Contact: (989) 774-3945
October 8	Mt. Pleasant	Central MI University, UC Terrance Room A-C	Soup and Substance "Immigration Issues" This is one in a series of luncheons where members of the campus community and greater Mt. Pleasant area gather for a soup luncheon and a substantive presentation on diversity-related topics. In today's luncheon, a panel discussion on immigration will be held, featuring both personal experiences and issues in the news. Free	12:00pm	Central Michigan University, Multicultural Ed. Center, Minority Student Services, Mt. Pleasant Area Diversity Group Contact: (989) 774-3945
October 8	Mt. Pleasant	Central MI University, Plachta Auditorium	Hispanic Heritage Month Keynote Speaker "Jaime Escalante" Escalante obtained a position at the run-down Garfield High School in East Los Angeles. Plagued by poor funding and constant violence, serving a student population of underprivileged Hispanics, the school was the least imaginable location for the success story that was to come. Through a combination of dedication, gentle persuasion, and deft showmanship, Escalante lifted his students to the top ranks in national calculus testing. Suspecting cheating, officials made the students retake the test. Again, the students surpassed everybody's expectations — except Escalante's.	7:00pm	Central Michigan University, Minority Student Services and the King, Chavez, Parks Visiting Professor Program Contact: (989) 774-3945

October 8	Waterford	Oakland County Executive Office, Bldg. 41W, 210 Pontiac Lake Road	Pontiac Hispanic History Project Inauguration of the Pontiac Hispanic Project Archive. A presentation will be made to Mr. Mark Patrick, Curator of the Burton Library from the Detroit Public Library. Entertainment and refreshments.	4:00pm-6:00pm	Oakland County Employment & Diversity Council Contact: Marty Padilla (248) 683-2450
October 9	Lansing	Cristo Rey Community Center, 1717 N. High Street	Youth Reading Program About Hispanics Reading program for youth.	4:00pm-7:00pm	Cristo Rey Community Center Contact: John Roy Castillo (517) 372-4700
October 9	Detroit	United Auto Workers, Local 22, 4300 Michigan Ave.	9th Annual Wayne County Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration Dinner and entertainment featuring DJ Latin Image, Mariachi Juvenil de Mexico, Latin Ballroom Exhibit, Latino Musical Journey by Ismael Duran, Ballet Folklorico Moyocoyani Izel, Potpourri of Latino Music by Armando Ayala and Hablando con Felix & Gustavo-Radio Unidos. FREE ADMISSION	6:00pm-9:00pm	Wayne Co. HealthChoice, Wayne Co. Health & Human Services, National City Bank and La SED Senior Center Contact: Lorenzo Lopez at (313) 833-3438
October 9	University Center	Delta College, Rooms N-7, downstairs in the Commons Area	Heritage Alumni Banquet Alumni awards to Manuel Gonzales and Tayna Medina. Tickets \$5	6:00pm	Delta College Multicultural Services Contact: (989) 686-9865
October 9	Detroit	UAW Local 22, 4300 Michigan Avenue	Wayne County Hispanic Heritage Month Celebration Food, music, entertainment, keynote speaker on Latino Leadership: Recognizing Their Success and Honoring Their Contributions	6:00pm-9:00pm	Wayne County Contact: Lorenzo Lopez (313) 833-3438
October 10	Saginaw	Saginaw Valley State University	2nd Annual Education Conference Keynote Speaker Jaime Escalante. Discussion will include "best practices" presentations on educational issues for Hispanic Students. Free but registration is required.	9:00am-4:00pm	Commission on Spanish Speaking Affairs & Saginaw Valley State University Contact: (517) 373-8339
October 10	Mt. Pleasant	Central Michigan University, University	CMU Latino Alumni Constituent Chapter Third Annual Career Information Session Three to five alumni from the CMU Latino Alumni Constituent Chapter will speak about their careers	2:00pm	Central Michigan University, Latino Alumni Constituent Chapter

		Center Maroon and Gold Rooms	and give advice to students about getting the most out of their education. All students and alumni welcome! Free		Contact: (989) 774-3945
October 11`	Mt. Pleasant	Central Michigan University, near Rose Pond	CMU Latino Alumni Constituent Chapter and Friends Homecoming Tailgate Free food and refreshments with the theme: "Mexican Street Food on a Stick." All are invited to meet and greet other CMU alums	1:00pm-3:30pm	Central Michigan University, Latino Alumni Chapter Contact: (989) 774-3945
October 11	Mt. Pleasant	Los Palominos Restaurant, 4565 E. Pickard	CMU Latino Alumni Constituent Chapter Social Food and drink are the responsibility of each alum and guest(s).	7:00pm	Central Michigan University, CMU Latino Alumni Constituent Chapter Contact: (989) 774-3945
October 11	Mt. Pleasant	Central Michigan University, Student Activities Center	Sigma Lambda Beta Homecoming Dance Celebrate CMU Homecoming with the men of Sigma Lambda Beta International Fraternity.		Central Michigan University, Sigma Lambda Beta Fraternity Contact: (989) 774-3945
October 13	Mt. Pleasant	Central Michigan University, Student Activities Center	Zumba Latin Fitness! Back by popular demand, it's Zumba Fitness! Want to join the best party around? This time, we have a "live" instructor to show you the latest workout techniques that feel more like dancing! Zumba fuses hypnotic Latin rhythms and easy to follow moves to create a dynamic workout system that will blow you away. Free and open to public	5:30pm warm-up 6:00pm start	Central Michigan University, Minority Student Services, Employment Wellness Program, University Recreation, Sigma Lambda Gamma Society. Contact: (989) 774-3945
October 13-17	Mt. Pleasant	Central Michigan University	Sigma Lambda Gamma National Sorority, Inc. Week Join the women of Sigma Lambda Gamma National Sorority as they celebrate "Gamma Week." For more information about individual activities and events, see any member of the organization		Central Michigan University, Sigma Lambda Gamma Society. Contact: (989) 774-3945
October 14	Detroit	Detroit Public Library- Bowen Branch	Hispanic Heritage Month Reading Night A reading, poetry and arts program to highlight the talent of Hispanic youth.	5:00pm	Comcast & LaSED Contact: Maria Holmes (734) 254-1761

October 15	Kalamazoo	Western Michigan University, Multicultural Center	"Latinos 08" A PBS Documentary will examine the 2008 Presidential Election through the Prism of Ethnic politics. A panel of experts will give their reaction to Documentary. The event is free and open to the public	6:30pm-8:00pm	Western Michigan University, Multicultural Affairs
October 16	Adrian	Human Services Building, Conf. Rooms B & C	Department of Human Services Hispanic Heritage Month Luncheon	12:00pm-1:30pm	Contact: Maria Martinez at (517) 264-6391
October 16	East Lansing	Michigan State University Museum	Café Con Leche Come explore, discover, experience, connect	9:00pm-11:00pm	Contact: (517) 432-1317
October 22-23	Detroit	Marriott Renaissance Center	Hispanic Business Expo & Economic Summit www.hbaexpo.org	See on line schedule or call for times	Hispanic Business Alliance Contact: (313) 962-6422
October 28	East Lansing	Michigan State University Museum	Michigan Latinos in the Visual Arts: Settling Out, Settling Down, and Settling in Contributions of Latinos to the State of Michigan- Panelists: Juan Javier Pescador, Dept. of History; Ana Luisa Cardona, Michigan Department of Education; Juan Alvarez, MSU Museum; Elena Herrada, Centro Obrero, Detroit.	4:00pm-6:00pm	Contact: (517) 432-1317 or (517) 355-2370
October 30	Adrian	LISD TECH Center, Classroom 1 & 2	Women's Annual Luncheon	11:30am-1:30pm	Contact: Emily Martinez (517) 265-1618
November 1	East Lansing	Michigan State University Museum Ground Floor Lobby	Day of the Dead/Dia de los Muertos An installation and presentation of "Between Detroit and Tenochtitlan," celebrating the artistic impulse, life and creative energy of Diego Rivera in Detroit (and the Detroit Institute of Arts), coordinated by Juan Javier Pescador, MSU Department of History	At Dusk	Contact: (517) 432-1317 or (517) 355-2370
November 2	East Lansing	Michigan State University Museum	First Sunday Gallery Walk MSU Museum joins with museums and galleries in Greater Lansing, where culture and creativity come together.	1:00pm-5:00pm	Contact: (517) 432-1317 or (517) 355-2370

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November 18	East Lansing	Michigan State University Museum	Settling Out, Settling Down, and Settling in Contributions of Latinos to the State of Michigan - Main Gallery, MSU Museum Presentation and Panel Discussion on the Leadership contributions of Latinos to the state of Michigan. Areas include education, politics, labor, arts, and other areas. Panelists include members from previous panels and from the thematic areas.	4:00pm-6:00pm	Contact: (517) 432-1317 or (517) 355-2370
November (All Month)	East Lansing	Michigan State University Museum	"Next Generation of Norte Journalists" Youth Art Gallery A photojournalism project of the MSU College of Communication Arts and Sciences	Call for times	Contact: (517) 432-1317 or (517) 355-2370
December 5	East Lansing	Michigan State University Museum Auditorium	"Our Daily Work/Our Daily Lives" Jerry Garcia, MSU Department of History "UFW, Teamsters, and Growers: Immigration and Labor Organizing in the Washington State Apple Industry"	12:15pm-1:30pm	Contact: (517) 432-1317 or (517) 355-2370
December 7	East Lansing	Michigan State University Museum	First Sunday Gallery Walk MSU Museum joins with museums and galleries in Greater Lansing, where culture and creativity come together	1:00pm-5:00pm	Contact: (517) 432-1317 or (517) 355-2370

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